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Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action dated May 13, 2003, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments into the above-identified application. Each of the amendments finds full support in the claims, specification and/or drawings as filed.

Application No.: 09/900,596 Amendment Dated: August 21, 2003

Reply to Office Action Dated: May 13, 2003

Enclosed herewith is a Petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) requesting a one (1) month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action, thereby extending the period for response thereto up to and including September 13, 2003. The owner of the present application is a SMALL ENTITY and the USPTO is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 501-555 in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the extension of time petition fee under 37 CFR §1.17(a)(1).

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.